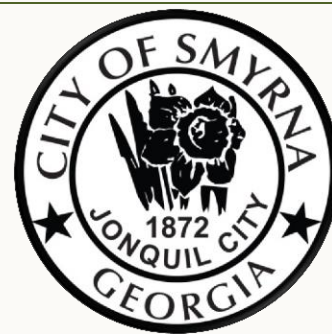


## Mayor and City Council Update June 22, 2018



**To:** Mayor and Council  
**From:** Administration  
**CC:** Department Heads

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### **Library News**

**Friends of Smyrna Library** – The Friends recently lost a longtime Board member and friend, Debbie Battiste. She passed away Tuesday, June 19<sup>th</sup> and her funeral is Saturday, June 23<sup>rd</sup> at Pleasant Grove Missionary Baptist Church located at 566 Whitlock Avenue in Marietta, GA 30064 at 3pm.

— Debbie was a hardworking volunteer for the library and FOSL for over a decade. She ran the book discussion group for many years, volunteered at countless Jonquil Festival sales, organized many of the Friends' holiday parties, and was instrumental in the organization of "Murder Goes South" for ten years. She was a beautiful and generous person. She will be greatly missed.

### **Police Department**

**Total number of calls for service:** 1,798

**Total number of employees on limited duty:**

**Training:** 144 hours

**Projects:** Working on State Certification. Our new gym expansion is almost complete.

**Accomplishments:** During the week of June 11<sup>th</sup> – June 17<sup>th</sup>, the Community Relations Unit spent a tremendous amount of time meeting with various police and fire departments throughout Cobb County ensuring their attendance for the "Local Heroes Day at SunTrust Park" that was held on June 16, 2018. SPD attended event.

Sgt. Defense taught hostage negotiations to SPD Explorers that are preparing to compete at GPSTC on June 23, 2018.

SPD set up a static display for "Alive after 5" for Smyrna Area Council at Fire Station 3.

SPD attended "Hero Appreciation at Charter Bank", taught Firearms Safety at HQ, and met with HOA members from Oakley Downs about a parking issue as well as attended Devonshire Court HOA meeting.

## **Keep Smyrna Beautiful**

### **Keep Smyrna Beautiful Outdoor Market –**

Saturdays 8am – Noon

Adjacent to the Smyrna Community Center along Atlanta Road

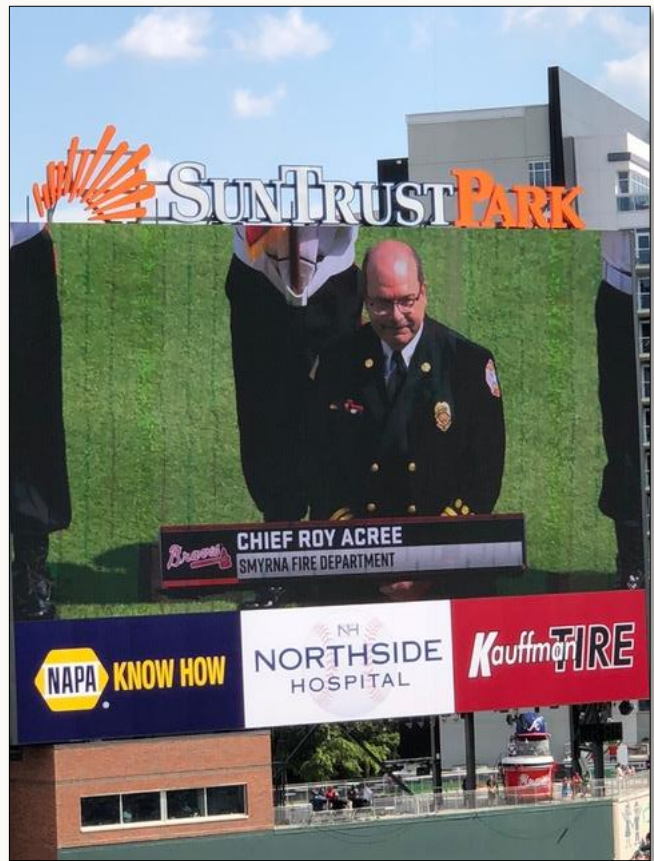
## **Fire Department**

### **Incidents**

Fire-	3
EMS Calls-	57
Other-	37
Total Calls-	97

### **Administration**

- On Saturday, June 16<sup>th</sup>, Chief Acree and six members of the Smyrna Fire Department were invited to participate in the Braves Organization's "Honoring Public Safety Night" at Suntrust Park.





### Response

- On Thursday, June 21<sup>st</sup>, SFD held the written exam for over 40 hopeful firefighters. The next phase will be the Physical Agility Testing on July 9<sup>th</sup>. We are hoping to have the new recruits onboard by October 2018.



## **Parks & Recreation**

<i>June 13-June 19, 2018</i>		<b>Resident</b>	<b>Non Resident</b>	<b>City Function</b>	<b>Allied Groups (Pro Bono)</b>	<b>Programmed Activity</b>	<b>Independent Contractor</b>
<b>Community Center</b>							
	Magnolia	2	1			5	
	Dogwood	2	1			4	
	Jonquil	1	1			5	
	Tulip	3				5	
	Sunflower	1				2	
	Azelea	1	1				
	Daisy					15	
	Lily					5	
	Orchid	1		1		1	
	Large Gym	1				7	
	Small Gym					5	
<b>Wedding Gazebo</b>		2					
<b>Brawner Hall</b>							
	Banquet Hall	5		1	1		
	Studio A	2					
	Studio B	2					
	Conference	2					
<b>Taylor Brawner House</b>							
<b>Reed House</b>							
<b>Aunt Fanny's Cabin</b>							
<b>Tolleson Day Room</b>						10	
<b>Pavilions</b>							
	Brinkley (2)		1				
	Chuck Camp						
	Church Street						
	Cobb (2)	1					
	Jonquil						
	Lake Court						
	Riverline (2)						
	Rose Garden (2)						
	Taylor Brawner (3)	4	1				
	Tolleson (2)		2				
	Whitfield						
<b>Sports Fields</b>							
	Brinkley		1			4	
	Chuck Camp					6	
	Jonquil						
	Riverline						
	Tolleson					21	
	Cobb		1			3	
	Ward				3	3	
<b>Totals</b>		<b>30</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>101</b>	



## **Community Development**

Type	#	Estimated Cost of Construction	Location
Building New/Residential	2	\$441,800	2- Smyrna Grove
Building Remodel/Residential	14	\$228,939	7- Reroof 3- Interior 3- Remodel w/ Addition 1- Accessory
Building Remodel/Commercial	12	\$339,426	1 Remodel- 4490 S Cobb Dr (Atlanta Bread Company) 11 Portables- Campbell High School, King Springs Elementary, & Griffin Middle School
Electrical	1	-	-
Plumbing	4	-	-
HVAC	29	-	-
Signs	4	-	3 Wall Signs- 2552 S Cobb Dr (SunTrust) & 2581 Spring Rd (Atlanta Trilingual Academy) 1 Face Change- 1725 Spring Rd (Sky King)
Grading		-	-

### **WEEKLY INSPECTIONS:**

Type	Number	# of Sites
All	169	99

### **POTENTIAL BUSINESS**

- Staff conducted site meetings with Wise Owl Brewery for potential location in Smyrna.

### **FILM PERMIT**

- Staff approved film permit from Dustin Pitan for filming at Emory Hospital.

### **NEW BUSINESSES:**

Name	Location	Home/Commercial	Description
MEREDITH KAVANAUGH PHOTOGRAPHY	3374 DUNN ST	H	PHOTOGRAPHER
DAKK ENGINEERING	3377 HUNTERS POINT RD	H	ENGINEER
SUBSCRIPTION ENGINEERING	5070 GREEN FOREST PKWY	H	ENGINEER
QUALITY TINT AND WASH	600 FLOYD DR	C	AUTO TINT/CAR WASH
THE DISTINGUISHED GROUP	1456 SPRING RD APT 125	H	JANITORIAL
KNOCK 'EM OUT	2085 LAKE PARK	C	AMUSE/REC

## **Public Works**

### **Windy Hill Road Blvd. Project:**

The AT&T contractor is currently relocating fiber duct between Belmont Circle and Ward Street. Lane shifts remain in place between the Post Office and Belmont Place. Asbestos abatement is complete at 815 Windy Hill and demolition is about 25% complete. Asbestos abatement has started at 765 Windy Hill Road this week. 907 and 743 Windy Hill Road are waiting on asbestos removal.

### **Paving Projects:**

All roads are now prepped for the next paving contract.

### **Pat Mell Road Drainage Project:**

The contractor worked on backfilling the curbs along Pat Mell Road as they wait on the trench drains for the gutter lines to come in. The project is about 85% complete.

### **Public Works Storm Sewer Rehab and Detention:**

The boring crew started the bore from the detention pond to the junction box man hole this week. The bore should be complete within 5 days if buried debris is not encountered.

### **Afton Downs Detention Pond:**

A preconstruction meeting was held this week with the contractor. The pond outlet control structure is to be delivered this week and work is scheduled to begin next week.

### **Roswell Street Round-a-bout:**

No activity this week. A progress meeting is scheduled next week to discuss utility conflicts and Georgia Powers time table for relocation.

### **SPLOST Sidewalk Improvements Phase One School Zone:**

Backfilling and landscape work started this week to complete the Glendale Elementary School zone area sidewalk project. Next week the Brown Elementary School Zone project is to start.

### **Twin Oaks Circle Curb Project:**

Curb replacement and one catch basin installation work is to begin next week.

### **Fire Station #2:**

The contractor is currently working to install door and window casings and the exterior brick work is well under way. Roof decking is all in place and roof membrane is being installed.

-Due to employee shortage in the sanitation division the Street and Water/Sewer divisions have again had to loan employees to sanitation. Sanitation was able to hire one new employee this week and one new employee is expected next week; however one sanitation employee was terminated this week as he abandoned his job. Street Department crews addressed landscaping and grass cutting work orders as much as possible this week when not filling in for other divisions. The traffic signal and fiber pole adjustment bid is scheduled to be opened next week.

### **Projects out for Design:**

Whitfield Street Storm Sewer Replacement, Design 90% complete

Durely Down Court Headwall Replacement

Gann Road Bridge Replacement Survey Work Complete, Design is 80% complete

Lake Court Park Storm Sewer, Design 100% complete

### **Projects out for Bid:**

Traffic Signal and Fiber Pole Adjustments

**Projects to Award:**

Street Paving Bid 7/2/18

HVAC Replacement City Hall & Jail 7/2/18

Community Center Roof Replacement 7/2/18